



LEWES BPW UPDATES – SEPTEMBER 2018

Holiday Closing

Monday, September 3, 2018 – Labor Day

General Information

4:00 p.m. – Wednesday, September 26, 2018 – Regular Board Meeting – City Hall

Electric Department

As a reminder: Only BPW Employees are permitted access to the electric Meters and Transformers.

With Hurricane season coming strong, we will be trimming in earnest. Our clearing path is 7.5 feet from our power lines.

If your street light is out, please contact our Administration Office with the pole number and street address and our staff will put a service order in to the Electric Department.

Water / Sewer Department

As a reminder: Only BPW Employees are permitted to turn the water Off or On at the meter pit or curb stop. Penalties up to \$500.00 will be applied to property owners and contractors who do so.

The Water Department must always have access to the Water Meters. Please refrain from planting flowers, trees or shrubs four feet in front or around hydrants and meter pits. This is a precaution for when there is a water leak emergency to locate the meter in a timely manner or if we do not get an accurate reading.

Discolored Water – if you wake in the morning and immediately see discolored water that clears up in 20-30 seconds, you may have old rusty pipes in your system.

If you experience discolored water after running it for a few minutes, please let us know. We will respond to help correct the problem and collect information to help prioritize water main replacement.

We are doing an Educational Outreach about possible lead in your water. For more information, please visit our website to read the Public Educational Notice.

Trash and Yard Waste

Trash and Yard Waste are handled by the **City of Lewes** ... please contact them at 302-645-7777.